I was among those viewing the early days of TV, and the quality was light-years better than it is now. Add to this, the multiple-ownership companies now have of media outlets, and its no wonder shows are so banal and interrupted so often with even more mind-numbing commercials. I agree with Harry Truman: "This medium should never be given over to commercial interests." I hope the FCC "decentralizes" the industry as much as it can..., given the immense control these co's have over "public opinion." Are the airwaves really the property of the public?